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For: REFASTENABLE ABSORBENT PRODUCT WITH Z-FOLDED SIDE PANELS
AND METHOD OF MAKING SAME IN THE MACHINE DIRECTION

Enclosed are:

- Thirty-three (33) pages of specification, nine (9) pages of claims (Claims 1-27), one (1) page of Abstract, and six (6) sheets of drawings (Figs. 1-11).
- Executed combined Oath or Declaration, Power of Attorney and Petition. (4 pages)
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